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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Plaintiff-Applicant,

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

SOCIETE GENERALE PRIVATE BANKING (SUISSE) S.A. (f/k/a SG Private Banking Suisse S.A.); SOCIETE GENERALE PRIVATE BANKING (LUGANO-SVIZZERA) S.A. (f/k/a SG Private Banking (Lugano-Svizzera) S.A.); SOCGEN NOMINEES (UK) LIMITED; LYXOR ASSET MANAGEMENT S.A., as Successor in Interest to Barep Asset Management S.A.;

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (SMB)

SIPA LIQUIDATION

(Substantively Consolidated)

Adv. Pro. No. 12-01677 (SMB)

NOTICE OF APPEAL

SOCIETE GENERALE HOLDING DE PARTICIPATIONS S.A., as Successor in Interest to Barep Asset Management S.A.; SG AM AI PREMIUM FUND L.P. (f/k/a SG AM Alternative Diversified U.S. L.P.); LYXOR ASSET MANAGEMENT INC. (f/k/a SGAM Asset Management, Inc.), as General Partner of SG AM AI Premium Fund L.P.; SG AUDACE ALTERNATIF (f/k/a SGAM AI Audace Alternatif); SGAM AI EQUILIBRIUM FUND (f/k/a SGAM Alternative Multi Manager Diversified Fund); LYXOR PREMIUM FUND (f/k/a SGAM Alternative Diversified Premium Fund); SOCIETE GENERALE S.A., as Trustee for Lyxor Premium Fund; SOCIETE GENERALE BANK & TRUST S.A.; OFI MGA ALPHA PALMARES (f/k/a Oval Alpha Palmares); OVAL PALMARES EUROPLUS; UMR SELECT ALTERNATIF; and BANK AUDI S.A.M.- AUDI SARADAR GROUP (f/k/a Dresdner Bank Monaco S.A.M.);

Defendants.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Irving H. Picard (the "Trustee"), as trustee of the substantively consolidated estate of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC under the Securities Investor Protection Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 78aaa et seq., and Bernard L. Madoff, individually, hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 158(d)(2), from each and every aspect of the final judgment annexed hereto as Exhibit 1 (the "Final Judgment") of the Honorable Stuart M. Bernstein of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the "Bankruptcy Court"), entered in the above-captioned adversary proceeding (the "Adversary Proceeding"), Picard v. Societe Generale Private Banking (Suisse) S.A., et al., Adv. Pro. No. 12-01677 (SMB) (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Mar. 3, 2017), ECF No. 117, and in the main adversary proceeding, Securities Investor Protection Corp. v. Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC (In re BLMIS), Adv. Pro. No.

08-01789 (SMB) (Bankr. S.D.N.Y. Mar. 3, 2017), ECF No. 15180, including without limitation the following:

- 1. Memorandum Decision Regarding Claims to Recover Foreign Subsequent Transfers of the Bankruptcy Court (Bernstein, J.), dated November 22, 2016 (attached as Exhibit A to the Final Judgment), resulting in the dismissal of all of the Trustee's claims against all defendants in this Adversary Proceeding. *Id.*, ECF Nos. 14495 and 14890;
- 2. Opinion and Order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (Rakoff, J.), dated July 6, 2014 (annexed hereto as Exhibit 2). *Securities Investor Protection Corp. v. Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC (In re Madoff Secs.)*, No. 12-mc-115 (JSR) (S.D.N.Y. July 7, 2014), ECF No. 551;
- 3. The Order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (Rakoff, J.), dated May 11, 2013, where applicable (annexed hereto as Exhibit 3). *Id.*, ECF No. 468; and
- 4. The Order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York (Rakoff, J.), dated June 6, 2012, where applicable (annexed hereto as Exhibit 4). *Id.*, ECF No. 167.

The names of the relevant parties to the Final Judgment appealed, and the contact information of their attorneys, are as follows:

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PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Trustee and all defendants in this Adversary Proceeding have agreed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 158(d)(2)(A)(iii) to certify this appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit. Accordingly, subsequent to the filing of this Notice of Appeal, the parties will also file an Official Bankruptcy Form 424 certifying this appeal.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that if the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit does not authorize a direct appeal, the Trustee hereby appeals the Final

Judgment, in the alternative, to the United States District Court for the Southern District of New

York pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 158(a)(1).

Dated: March 16, 2017

New York, New York

By: /s/ Howard L. Simon_

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